A.—Sri P. M. NAD GOUDA (Minister for Development and Co-operation).—

(*a*) The work was taken up during July 1953. The scheme is estimated to cost Rs. 43,260.

(*b*) Rs. 41,278.

(*c*) Mainly due to delay in the conversion of power supply from 25 cycles to 50 cycles. Secondly, there was some delay in the procurement of machinery.

(*d*) By December 1967.

Cases filed under Untouchability Act

Q.—82. Sri M. H. JAYAPRAKASH NARAYAN (Sirsi).—

Will the Minister for Home and Labour be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of cases filed in the courts in the State by the Police Department as per the Removal of Untouchability Act in the Mysore State ;

(*b*) out of them, the number of cases in which punishment has been imposed ;

(*c*) out of them, the number of cases dismissed ;

(*d*) the number of cases in respect of which legal aid was provided by the Social Welfare Department.

A.—Sri M. V. RAMA RAO (Minister for Home and Labour).—

(*a*) 526.

(*b*) 170.

(*c*) 207.

(*d*) No legal aid was given in any of these cases by the Social Welfare Department.

Allotment of Ferrous and non-Ferrous Metals

Q.—94. Sri S. S. SHETTAR (Hubli).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of persons and institutions in Hubli, Dharwar Municipal Corporation area to whom the quota of ferrous and non-ferrous has been allotted during the last three years ;

(*b*) quota allotted to each person ?